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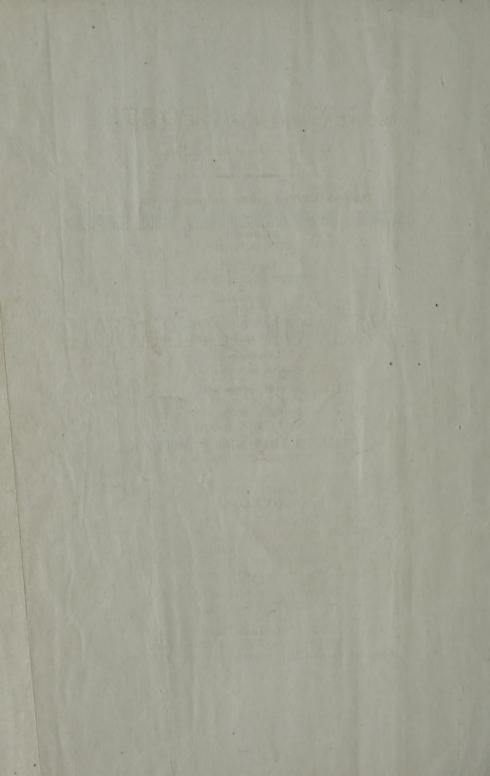
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#### RECORD OF THE TOWN OF SEABROOK

For the Year ending March 1st, 1884.

#### Officers Elected at the Annual Meeting.

Moderator, JOHN M. WEARE.

Town Clerk,
JAMES M. S. TUCKER.

Selectmen,
DAVID F. BOYD,
JEREMIAH B. GREENE,
WILLIAM H. WALTON.

Treasurer,
FRANK H. GREENE;

School Committee,
D. W. COLCORD,
EDWIN EATON,
WILLIAM A. RAND.

Collector, STEPHEN G. JOHNSON.

Constables,
FRANCIS BECKMAN,
CALVIN EATON.

Supervisors.
JOHN WEARE,
FRANCIS BECKMAN,
REESE OWEN.

Auditors,
WILLIAM A. RAND,
ALBERT J. SANBORN.

#### State of New Hampshire.

To the Inhabitants of Seabrook qualified to vote in town affairs: You are hereby notified to meet at the town hall in said town, on the second Tuesday of March next, at ten of the clock in the forenoon, to act upon the following subjects:

1. To choose a Moderator to preside in said meeting.

2. To choose a Town Clerk for the year ensuing.

3. To choose three Selectmen, Town Treasurer, Collector of Taxes, School Committee, and all other necessary town officers and

agents for the year ensuing.

4. To raise such sums of money as may be necessary for the support of schools; for paying the town debts and defraying the interest thereon; for laying out and repairing highways and bridges; for the maintenance of the poor; and for other necessary charges arising in said town.

5. To determine by vote how said town will divide the money raised for the support of schools among the several school districts in said town, and how said town will divide the Literary fund and that portion of the Railroad tax to be expended for the support of schools in said town for the year ensuing.

6. To determine how said town will dispose of the town and

county paupers for the year ensuing.

7. To determine how said town will dispose of the income of Common Island and the Dow Marsh for the year ensuing.

8. To see if the town will vote to sell the pound.

- 9. To see if the town will make a license law in regard to dogs.
  10. To see what sum of money the town will raise for martial music for Memorial day.
- 11. To choose a committee to meet with a committee from Massachusetts about the State line.

12. To see if the town will establish a police court.

- 13. To see if the town will discontinue the old road from Simeon L. Eaton's to the State line.
- 14. To see if the town will exempt money hired by school dis-

tricts from taxation.

15. To see what action the town will take about the damage to John Felch in building the new road.

Given under our hands and seal this twenty-third day of February, A. D. 1884.

DAVID F. BOYD, JEREMIAH B. GREENE, WILLIAM H. WALTON,

### SELECTMEN'S REPORT.

## TREASURER'S REPORT.

FRANK H. GREENE, Treasurer, in account with the Town of Seabrook, for the Year ending March 1, 1884.

#### DR.

To balance on hand March 1, 1883 \$18	12 73
From State Treasurer, for Savings Bank tax	99 79
" for Railroads I	38 40
	61 16
"County Treasurer, Support of Paupers 13	05 95
"Bounty on Crows	50 70
" James W. Wright, for J. F. Wright's funeral ex.	3.50
"A. Gove, income Common Island for 1883	8 00
" John Cary, income Dow Marsh for 1883	8 00
" James Sanborn, Collector for 1875	15 45
"S. G. Johnson, Collector for 1881	11 00
" 1882	91 70
" " 1883 57	94 00
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He credits himself with the following payments, per order of the Selectmen:

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State Tax County Tax Support of Schools Roads and Bridges Non-Resident Taxes Abatements Services Town Officers Town Paupers County Paupers Miscellaneous Expenses Notes and Interest	R.	636 00 801 81 1722 00 233 47 14 29 66 52 455 55 414 33 1338 77 577 63 2468 19
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		\$1722 00
Non-Resident	Highway Tax.	
Paid Walter Morrill  "Roby Morrill  B. F. Weare  B. F. & Clarisa Weare  Stephen Brown  Joseph Merrill  Joseph Brown  Joseph W. Brown  Daniel Merrill  John E. Weare  John C. Evans	District No. 7  '' 7  '' 1  '' 1  '' 1  '' 1  '' 1  '' 1  '' 1  '' 1  '' 1  '' 1  '' 1	\$ 26 2 65 1 81 1 07 1 04 1 04 1 33 1 52 1 23 49 1 85
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	Abatements of Taxes.	
	To James Sanborn, Collector, 1874.	
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66	to Kensington for J. W. Brown	50
	2 journeys to Exeter to see County	4 00
66	Commissioners	4 00
66	time spent in new Co. pauper bin	3 50
66	setting accounts	7 00
66	stationery and postage	2 50
66	Jeremiah B. Greene, one day filling blanks	2 00
66	one day distributing blanks	2 00
6.6	o dys appraising and assessing	
66	1 1-2 days spent on new road	3 00
•••	journey to Exeter for advice	
66	in David W. Fogg's case	2 00
66	o journeys to 50. Seabrook	3 00
66	attending jury meeting.	1 00
66	revising jury box	75
•••	journey to Exeter to settle	
66	county pauper bill	2 00
66	setting accounts	6 00
66	William H. Walton, one day filling blanks	2 00
66	" distributing blanks	2 00
66	o dys appraising and assessing	16 00
66	1 1-2 days time on new toad	3 00
66	12 journeys to D. F. Boyd's	6 00
66	attending jury meetings.	I 00
66	revising jury box	75
66	time spent with the poor	7 00
66	setting accounts	6 00
66	journey to beach to see Goodan	,
66	John Weare, Supervisor at Election	6 00
66	Francis Beckman "	6 00
66	Reese Owen	6 00
66	D. W. Colcord, as school committee	23 00
66	James M. S. Tucker, as town clerk	20 00
66	" return of marriages	.180
66	return of 36 deaths	9 00
66	return of 40 births	10.00
66	journey to Exeter	1 50
66	"Marston & Eastman for advice	
	stationery and postage	50
66		35 00
66	Frank H. Greene, as Treasurer	40 00
46	stationery and postage	1 75
• •	settling county tax	2 00

• •	to Portsmouth with copy of reports	1 00
• •	express on reports	50
• •	Albert J. Sanborn, for auditing accounts	2 00
		155 55
		455 55
	Marrie Dannana	
	Town Paupers.	
Paid	Nancy Brown for wood	14 25
4.4	D. W. Colcord, medical attendance	18 00
6.6	Mary E. Rowe, for supplies from March 1 to	
	Oct. 20, 1883	71 00
	Mary E. Rowe, for wood	3 75
4.6	Mary A. A. Eaton, for supplies one year ending	
	March 1, 1884	104 00
6.6	Gilman B. Eaton's children, for supplies one	
	year ending March 1, 1884	104 00
	George E. Felch's family, supplies from March	
66	I to June 15, 1883	34 00
6.6	George E. Felch's family, for wood D. W. Colcord, medical attendance	4 00
	David W. Fogg's board at the State Industrial	5 00
	School from June 2 to Dec. 31, 1883	45.00
6.6	Horace D. Moreland, for supplies	45 00
66	D. W. Colcord, medical attendance	1 97 8 00
6.6	Walter Porter's family, for supplies	1 36
	value I ofter a failing, for supplies	1 30
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	County Paupers.	
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raid	Martha Eaton, for support of Frank Eaton one	
66	year ending March 1, 1884	52 00
66	D. W. Colcord, medical attendance on F. Eaton	. 4 00
	Mary E. Beckman, supplies one year ending	<b>#</b> 2.00
6.6	March 1, 1884 Elizabeth Fowler, supplies one year ending	52 00
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6.6	Elizabeth Fowler, for wood	52 00 7 62
66	C. A. Brown, supplies one year ending	702
	March 1, 1884	113 00
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• 6	C. A. Brown, for wood	17 25
• 6	D. W. Colcord, medical attendance on C. A. Brown	8 00
+4	Nancy Souther, supplies one year ending	
	March 1, 1884	52 00
6.6	Nancy Souther, for wood and coal	18 50
+ 4	Betsey Souther, supplies from March 1 to	
	October 18, 1883	48 00
6.6	Elizabeth Bagley, for taking care of Betsey Souther	34 50
6.6	Betsey Souther, for wood	5 50
44	Valentine Bagley, supplies one year ending	5 5
	March 1, 1884	78 oo
44	Valentine Bagley, for wood	6 00
* 4	D. W. Colcord, for medical attendance on	
	Valentine Bagley	5 00
4.6	Ruth Foster, supplies one year ending	3
	March 1, 1884	52 00
	Ruth Foster, for wood	5 50
	D. W. Colcord, medical attendance on Ruth	3 3
	Foster	10 00
6.6	Gertrude Dow, supplies one year ending	
	March 1, 1884	10 00
44	Ann R. Eaton, supplies one year ending	
	March 1, 1884	52 00
4.6	Ann R. Eaton, for wood	4 00
66	Sally A. Sargent, supplies one year ending	
		30 00
4.6	D. W. Colcord, medical attendance on child	3 00
4.4	Jeremiah F. Boyd's children, supplies one year	0
	ending March 1, 1884	83 00
66	Gamalial Rowe, supplies one year ending	0
		04 00
66	Gamalial Rowe, for wood	7 75
66	D. W. Colcord, medical attendance on	1 13
	Gamalial Rowe	10 00
66	John F. Fowler, supplies from April 17 to	
	July 10, 1883	30 00
66	George P. Fowler's family supplies	23 25
66	Israel Eaton, support from May 3 to March 1, '84	50 50
6.6	D. W. Colcord, medical attendance	2 50
6.6	Valentine Bagley, Jr.'s family	56 25
66	" for wood	10 50
66	Hammon Children, supplies Sept. 13 to	,
	March 1, 1884	48 00
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* * *	Mary E. Rowe, supplies from Oct. 20 to	
	March 1, 1884	46 50
6.6	D. W. Colcord, medical attendance	1 00
66	for wood	1S 00
66	S. H. Safford & Co., for coffin and collar	22 15
66	J. B. Greene, services and to Newburyport for co	
66	D. F. Boyd, for services	I 00
66	Emery Brown, for services	
	Emery Brown, for services	2 50
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	Miscellaneous Expenses.	
Paid	L. W. Brewster printing town reports 1882	27 00
66	" printing orders	I S2
66	Thomson & Batchelder collector's books, sur-	1 02
	veyor's books, blanks and stationery	2 50
66	Marston & Eastman for advice in David W.	3 50
	Fogg's case	I 00
66	Safford & Lunt for Constable's badge	
66	D. W. Colcord return of 21 births and 22 deaths	2 25
6.6	Jeremiah Chase making affidavits for seven	10 75
		S ==
6.6	county paupers  Francis Bookman taking care tramps	8 75
44	Francis Beckman taking care tramps	14 50
64	Lydia Parker taking care tramps	4 50
66	John W. Locke wood for lockup	2 00
66	Bounty on 4110 crows	411 00
66	Bounty on 15 woodchucks	1 50
66	Calvin Eaton collecting tax in Dist 5, 1882	30 00
66	David E. Kalidali 4, 1075	30 00
	E. C. Eastman for invoice record book	7 00
66	Joseph W. Brown surveying new road	2 00
6.6	J. A. Rand blankets for lockup	4 00
6.4	S. G. Johnson on Moses D. Eaton's property,	
	tax and expenses for 1882	11 92
6.6	S. G. Johnson on Moses D. Eaton's property	
	for 1883	I 64
6.6	George A. Weare heating town hall	I 50
6.6	John M. Weare for making deed of Moses D.	
	Eaton's property	1 00
		577 63

#### Notes and Interest.

Paid	Elihu Dow	interest	on his note	20 79
44	Jonathan Walton	66	66	16 34
66	John Chase	6.6	on his notes	37 00
66		6 6	on his note	100 00
4.4	6.6	6.6	64	100 00
66	David Chase	interest	on his note.	44 00
66		6.6	6.6	65 00
66	Jeremiah F. Chase	66	66	33 35
6.6	Newell Locke	6.6	6.6	29 73
66	6 6	6.6	66	50 12
6.6	Josiah Gove	4.6	6.6	26 12
66	Abram Dow	66	4.4	20 88
6.6	Martha A. Locke	66	66	15 44
66	John W. Fogg	66 .	66	24 83
66	Heirs Jos. H. Wear	re "	4.4	24 60
66	Eben Fowler	66	66	26 28
6.6	David Boyd	6.6	. 66	19 57
6.6	Warren Boyd	66	6.6	26 14
6.6	Jere. B. Greene	4.6	66	8 74
6.6	George A. Weare	4.4	. 66	4 37
4.6	"	66	66	4 20
66	Albert J. Sanborn	4.6	66	25 20
6.6		66		33 17
6.6	Joseph F. Evans	4.6	. 44	16 00
4.6	Heirs Jos. S. Lane	his note	and interest	1252 00
66	George N. Chase		on his note	8 17
66	Heirs Joshua Janvri		6.6	22 29
,,	John Philbrick	4.6	66	174 44
66	Thomas A. Dow		on his note	47 49
6.6	Emma M. George			191 83
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				2468 19

### Town Debt, March 1, 1884.

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1877, Jan. 14,	Elihu Dow	at 4 per cent	\$519 64
1882, Jan. 19,	Joseph F. Evans	66	400 00
1878, Jan. 16,	Jonathan Walton	6.	408 54
1881, Dec. 24,	John Chase,	4.6	700 00
1882, Jan. 25,	John Chase	6.6	100 00
1877, Jan. 25,	David Chase	66	1625 00
1876, Dec. 11,	David Chase	6.6	1100 00
1877, Jan. 24,	Jeremiah F. Chase	66	833 71
1873, March 8,	Newell Locke	66	1252 95
1873, April 24,	Newell Locke	44	743 26
1876, Dec. 26,	Josiah Gove	66	653 05
1876, Jan. 1,	Abram Dow	66	522 08
1874, Dec. 26,	Martha M. Locke	66	386 12
1874, Jan. 26,	John W. Fogg	66	620 86
1874, April 22,	Joseph H. Weare	66	615 09
1883, Feb. 27,	Clarence F. Brown	66	260 00
1880, July 14,	Elizabeth H. Fowle	r	156 10
1874, Dec. 27,	Eben Fowler	66	659 63
1875, Feb 27,	Joshua Janvrin	66	557 34
1876, Feb. 11,	David Boyd	66	489 38
1877, Feb. 15,	John Philbrick	66	4361 00
1876, May 27,	Warren Boyd	66	653 62
1877, June 30,	Thomas A. Dow	66	367 89
1877, June 30,	Thomas A. Dow,		
	for Anda P. Dov	W "	163 87
1877, Sept. 29,	George N. Chase	6 6	204 16
1877, Dec. 27,	Everett A. Weare	66	223 51
1877, Dec. 27,	George A. Weare	66	109 18
1878, Nov. 23,	George A. Weare	6.6	105 04
1877, Dec. 27,	Jeremiah B. Greene		218 38
1877, Dec. 27,	Sally A. Fogg	66	63 85
1878, March 28,	Albert J. Sanborn	66	829 33
1873, Dec. 6,	Albert J. Sanborn	66	630 00

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#### Statement of Finances.

DUE THE TOWN AND PROPERTY OWNED BY THE TOWN.

Common	Isla	and Dow	Marsh		550 00		
Due from James W. Dow, on Dow Marsh for 1882					82 800		
6.6		oses D. Eator					
6.6		bert Gove and	ome				
		Common Island 1882					
44 "	Tol	hn Cesey, inc		Marsh 1883	5 75 7 00		
6.6		unty		3	170 05		
66		omas Chase,	collector fo	or 1866	24 00		
6.6	Ch	arles S. Dow	66	1867	20 00		
6.6		bert Collins	4.6	1871	6 00		
6.6		66	6.6	1872	6 00		
6.6		66	66	1876	37 43		
6.6		66	44	1877	65 05		
66		. 66	6.6	1878	131 47		
6.6	Tar	nes Sanborn	6.6	1875	16 03		
66			crows, 18	82	5 30		
"State bounty on crows, 1883 "State bounty on woodchucks, 1883							
"S. G. Johnson, collector for 1880					I 50 8 82		
66	~ •	"	44	1881	17 20		
6.6		4.4		1882	28 37		
6.		6.6	66	1883	670 12		
				1003			
					1778 09		
Whole ar	nou	nt of receipts		10300 38	1770 09		
66		expendit	ures	8730 56			
		епрепин			1569 82		
Amount	Amount of Debt				20532 58		
Due the town and property owned				20532 50			
by th			, 0,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,	1778 09			
Balance i				1569 82			
Dulinice I	** *	i cusui y			2247 01		
					3347 91		
To	wn	Debt			17184 67		

#### FRANK H. GREENE, Treasurer.

I, the subscriber, have this day, March 1, 1884, examined the Treasurer's accounts and find them well vouched and correctly cast, and balance in the Treasury of \$1569.82.

ALBERT J. SANBORN, Auditor.



DISTRICT No. 2. Mr. Henry Bragg, Prudential Committee. Miss Emma L. Drake in charge. This school last year, through an unfortunate combination of circumstances, was placed four times under the care of as many different teachers; as a consequence the pupils could not receive a proper amount of instruction, nor profit so much by the time employed, as in other years. This year, however, has been propitious. Miss Drake was energetic and faithful, and performed her duties in a most satisfactory manner. The improvement from the beginning of school to its close, was very remarkable; the scholars were obedient and of good behavior, while the greater part of them were studious, being particularly ambitious to excel. The progress in study, which was

DISTRICT No. 3. Mr. Joseph Walton, Prudential Committee. Miss M. Hortense Wiggin, teacher. This school,

great, gave evidence of time well spent; the general manage-

ment was superior.

return by Mr. Jackson Mr. 110it. Until the commencement of the Winter term, the expectations of the parents and those interested in the school were not realized. There were some scholars, however, to whom great credit is due for their zealous application to study and good deportment throughout the whole year; but taken as a whole, the school needed a teacher who should be the possessor of at least as much tact for management, as talent for instruction. Mr. Hoit has proved eminently successful in his government; he is obeyed and also liked and respected by his pupils. The scholars were awakened to a new interest, and during his administration have made praiseworthy efforts to excel as well as to regain some of their former prestige. The school, at the time of writing this report, is still in session, and the progress made thus far fully justifies the belief that this, the last term, will have been a very profitable one.

DISTRICT No. 5. Mr. David F. Souther, Prudential

Committee. Primary Department: Miss Mary L. Perkins, teacher. In a school like this where so many small scholars are to be watched over and cared for through a long term of school, it requires life and perseverance to be a part of the teacher's own individual constitution. These important qualifications Miss Perkins proved herself to possess; she was untiring in her efforts to interest and instruct her pupils, and introduced many novel and useful ways to attract and hold their attention. Good advances were made by many of the scholars, some of whom, as little children, could hardly be outdone by the older ones. Taken as a whole, the school has made a good record; the order was very good, as much so as could be expected, considering the number in attendance.

Grammar Department: Mrs. Fannie E. Souther, teacher. This school, composed of the older and most advanced scholars of the district, was placed under the care of a well-qualified and experienced teacher. Mrs. Souther having been a teacher for several years past, both in public and private schools, well understood the methods which would be most successful in the way of school government and instruction. The pupils, however, were well regulated of themselves, and gave their teacher but little occasion to criticize their deportment; good progress was made, and what was learned was generally well learned. The school of this year has been a success and has kept its former record good.

DISTRICT No. 6. Mr. Eben Smith, Presidental Committee. This school was placed in charge of Miss Ursula Smith, a teacher well qualified to instruct, and one also of good ability to govern. A greater part of the scholars were well disposed, and applied themselves closely to their tasks. Those whose inclination would lead them to pursue an opposite course, were restrained by their teacher's presence, and, through her efforts, most of them were influenced to study and become interested in their lessons. Great improvement was

made by all the classes during the year, and the result of the year's teaching and study have been highly satisfactory.

The School Committee particularly desire to call the attention of all who are interested in school affairs, and some of whom in the course of events will be selected to serve their respective districts as Presidential Committees, to a part of the "General Laws" relating to the payment of teachers for their services.

"Every teacher at the close of his school and at the end of the term thereof, *shall* make a return of the register to the School Committee of the town, who shall give him a certificate thereof; and *no teacher* shall receive payment for his services until such certificate is produced and delivered to the School Committee."—*General Laws*, *Chap.* 89, *Sec.* 16.

In many instances these provisions and requirements have not been complied with; teachers, after having drawn their salaries, forward their registers to the Superintendent, which upon inspection too often are found to be incorrectly filled out. To correct some of these errors would be a task of considerable magnitude; in arranging statistical tables and the Roll of Honor, at the end of the year, mistakes have occurred in the School Committee's report, due entirely to this cause. This, it seems to the Committee, is a matter of enough importance to demand a strict fulfilment of the whole law.

This report is respectfully submitted.

D. W. COLCORD, Of the School EDWIN EATON, Committee.

### ROLL OF HONOR.

DISTRICT NO. 1. Summer Term—Alice M. Weare, Mildred O. Johnson, Clifford A. Miller. Fall Term—Alice M. Weare, Mildred O. Johnson.

DISTRICT No. 2. Summer Term—Emma Bragg, Minerva Breed, Lena W. Dow, Ellen Gove, Hattie Gove, Nancy Gove, Alice Knowles, Mary Knowles, Bertha Locke, Lottie Walton, Nellie Walton, Richard Boardman, Willie Boardman, Ira Gove, Eddie Gove, Bertie Greeley, Frank Greeley, George Knowles.

DISTRICT No. 3. Summer Term—Myrtie Eaton, Emilena Follansbee, Hattie Knowles, Reuben Follansbee, Arthur Knowles, George A. Knowles, Edwin Knowles, Clarence Lightbody, Arthur Rowe, Daniel Walton. Fall Term—Daisy Jones, Gusta Walton, Florence Walton, Mabel Walton, Edwin Knowles, G. Albert Knowles. Winter Term—Julia Jones, Gusta D. Walton, Florence Walton, Edwin Knowles, G. Albert Knowles, Clarence Lightbody.

DISTRICT No. 4. Summer Term—Lanella Wood. Fall Term—George Staples. Winter Term—George Staples, Charles Fowler.

DISTRICT NO. 5—PRIMARY DEPARTMENT. Summer Term—Alva Dow, Lowell Dow, Anda P. Eaton, James Eaton, Samuel Eaton, Edward E. Fowler, Robert Fowler, Walter Fowler, Alfred Janvrin, George C. Janvrin, George G. Janvrin, Wesley Janvrin, Edgar Randall, Hulda Eaton, Rosalinda Fowler, Maud Janvrin. Fall Term—Alva Dow, Lowell Dow, Anda Eaton, James Eaton, Robert Fowler, Alfred Janvrin, George C. Janvrin, John Janvrin, Wesley Janvrin, Alice J. Eaton, Ida L. Eaton, Eunice Eaton, Mary L. Eaton, Minnie M. Eaton, Olive Eaton, Hulda Eaton, Rosalinda Fowler, Etta F. Gynan, Maud Janvrin. Winter Term.—Rosalinda Fowler.

GRAMMAR DEP'T. Summer Term — Joseph B. Brown, George H. Dow, Clinton J. Eaton, James Fowler, Preston C. Follansbee, Hattie N. Boyd, Wallace Eaton, Hulda M. Dow, Mabel F. Dow, Almena P. Eaton, Emma F. Eaton, Clara J.

Eaton, Annie C. Eaton, Annie D. Fowler, Nellie M. Fowler, Hattie N. Locke, Cora B. Souther, Rebecca E. Souther. Fall Term—Elbridge Brown, Edward E. Fowler, James Fowler, Levi C. Fowler, Almena P. Eaton, Annie C. Eaton, Clara I. Eaton, Annie D. Fowler, Nellie M. Fowler, Hattie M. Locke, Helen J. Merrill, Lizzie B. Robinson. Winter Term—Joseph B. Brown, Elbridge Brown, George P. Eaton, Edward E. Fowler, Annie C. Eaton.

DISTRICT No. 6. Summer Term—Frank L. Chase, Frank W. Chase, Guy W. Chase, Jacob S. Fowler, Samuel E. Fowler, Moses N. Knøwles, Eddie Smith, Mary F. Gove. Jennie E. Hobbs, Jennie L. Smith, Mamiene Smith, Miriam C. Smith. Fall Term—Guy W.Chase, Mary F. Gove, Jennie F. Hobbs.

Note.—The Roll of Honor is made up of only those scholars, who have not been absent one half-day, nor tardy once during the whole year; but it is obvious that the names of many worthy pupils do not appear on the Roll, by reason of sickness, and not from any other fault of their own. It would then appear as a matter of right and justice to record the names of those who are known to have been detained at home only on account of some illness or disease. In District No. 5 there appeared a severe and wide-spreading epidemic of measles, near the close of the Winter term. This unfortunate occurrence reduced the average daily attendance of the schools, and the Roll of Honor, already a large one, would have been considerably augmented if it had not been for so many contracting the disease. Following these remarks will be found a list of those scholars known to have remained at home only from illness and no other cause. No doubt there are others equally as deserving of mention, whose names are not upon this list, not having been reported by their teachers, and therefore are not known to the School Committee. Those that are known are as follows:

DISTRICT No. 5. Primary Department. Winter Term—Alice J. Eaton, Ida L. Eaton, Eunice Eaton, Mary Eaton,

Maud Janvrin, Etta F. Gynan, Lowell Dow, Walter Fowler, Robert Fowler, Anda Eaton Alfred, Janvrin, George C. Janvrin, John Janvrin, Wesley Janvrin.

DISTRICT No. 5. Grammar Department. Summer Term—Adna P. Eaton. Fall Term—Hattie N. Boyd, Annie S. Souther, Cora B. Souther, Winter Term—Lizzie B. Robinson, Clara I. Eaton, Hulda M. Dow, Nellie M. Fowler Levi C. Eaton.

DISTRICT No. 6. Summer Term—Zua H. Dow, Susie T. Smith. Winter Term—Alice Chase, Frank W. Chase, Frank L. Chase.

#### SUMMARY OF SCHOOLS.

				District No. 6.	District No. 5. Frammar Dept	Primary Dept.	District No. 4.	District No. 3.	District No. 2.	District No. 1.
SUMMER	TERM,	Number	of Weeks,	10	12	12	8	10	10	10
FALL	44	66	66	16	10	10	9	12	14	16
WINTER		. 66	66		9	. 9	11	6		
SUMMER	TERM.	Number	of Scholars,	42	43	79	68	48	56	9
FALL	66	. 44	**	39	37	68	56	44	56	9
WINTER	4.6				24	.48	38	35		
SUMMER	TERM.	Average	Attendance,	37	41	68	55	45	.50	7
FALL		4.6	66	32	34	59	40	40	50	7
WINTER		66			18	36	26	31		
SUMMER	TERM.	Wages p	er month,	\$28	\$40	\$25	\$32	\$32	\$26	\$20
FALL	4.6	1	**	\$30	\$40	\$25	\$32	\$32	\$30	\$20
WINTER		4.6	66		\$40	\$25	\$42	\$36		

